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Application No.: 09/668,678
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Group : 2611
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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97,
applicants wish to call the attention of the Examiner to the
following documents:

United States Patents

Hayashi et al.	5,434,626	(7/18/95)
Matthews, III et al.	5,677,708	(10/14/97)

Foreign Publications

EP O 798 921 A2	(10/1/97)
EP O 738 078 A2	(10/16/96)
EP O 682 452 A2	(11/15/95)
Japan 59-41972	(3/8/84)
Patent Abstracts of Japan, vol. 008, no. 131 (E-251)	(6/19/84)

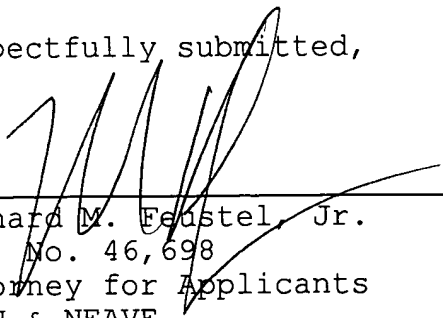
Copies of the aforementioned references, which are listed on the accompanying Form PTO-1449 (submitted in duplicate), are enclosed herewith.

The information contained in this Information Disclosure Statement was cited in the December 20, 2000 International Search Report on applicants' corresponding Patent Cooperation Treaty (PCT) application PCT/US00/26066. A copy of that Search Report is enclosed herewith. Applicants wish to inform the Examiner, however, that these references were first cited in the January 12, 2001 Invitation to Pay Additional Fees of the same PCT application. Ultimately, however, no fee is due in connection with this Information Disclosure Statement because these references are being submitted before the mailing date of the first Office action in this case on the merits.

Applicants also wish to inform the Examiner that Japan 59-41972 is not in English. However, submission of the Search Report satisfies the requirement of 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(3) (as interpreted by MPEP § 609) for submission of a concise explanation of the relevance of any of the documents listed that are not in the English language. In addition, the English EPO abstract of Japan 59-41972 was also cited by the International Searching Authority and is also enclosed.

Consideration of the foregoing in relation to this
patent application is respectfully requested.

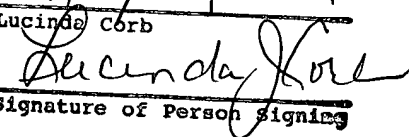
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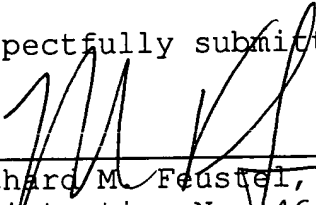
Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Information Disclosure
Statement in the above-identified application. This Statement is
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- ☐ within three months of the application filing date;
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In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97, submission of this Statement requires no fee. However, if for any reason a fee is due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees required in connection with this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement to Deposit Account No. 06-1075. A duplicate copy of this letter is transmitted herewith.

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